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SUBJECT: LETELIER/MOFFITT ASSASSINATION INVESTIGATION: ISMAEL
ALAN ACEVEDO PEREIRA

REF: A) SANTIAGO 6257, B) CLEGG/SERVICE TELECON AUGUST 24.

1. ON BASIS TELEPHONE CONVERSATION LAST WEEK WITH LEGAL
ATTACHE CLEGG, EMBASSY OFFICER AUGUST 28 INFORMED ACEVEDO
THAT CLEGG WILL BE IN BUENOS AIRES THE FIRST WEEK OF
SEPTEMBER AND WOULD LIKE TO SPEAK TO ACEVEDO IF HE TRAVELS
THERE. WE GAVE ACEVEDO CLEGG'S TELEPHONE NUMBER. ACEVEDO
SAID HE PLANS TO LEAVE CHILE THE END OF THIS MONTH AND HE
WILL CALL CLEGG IN BUENOS AIRES IN THE PERIOD SEPTEMBER
3-6. WE HAVE INFORMED CLEGG BY SEPTTEL (NOTAL).

2. ACEVEDO HAS ALSO BEEN VISITING ALFREDO ETCHEBERRY'S
LAW OFFICES, FIRST AUGUST 21 AND AGAIN TODAY, AND TALKED
WITH CARLOS BALBONTIN. HE GAVE BALBONTIN ESSENTIALLY
THE SAME STORY HE HAS TOLD US AND WANTED TO KNOW WHETHER
ETCHEBERRY WAS INTERESTED IN WHAT HE HAD TO SAY. HE HAS
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ALSO TOLD BALBONTIN THAT HE WILL BE LEAVING THE COUNTRY
SHORTLY. BALBONTIN SHARES OUR DOUBTS REGARDING ACEVEDO'S
AUTHENTICITY AND IS TREATING HIM CAREFULLY.
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